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JOBS REPORT
PABLO SANCHEZ. WASHINGTON, DC
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U.S. employers stepped up hiring in October and the jobless rate ticked higher as more workers restarted job hunts, a hopeful sign for a lackluster economy that has dragged on President Barack Obama's reelection chances. Employers added 171,000 people to their payrolls last month, the Labor Department said on Friday. The government also said 84,000 more jobs were created in August and September than initially estimated. The jobless rate edged a tenth of a point higher to 7.9 percent, but that was due to a surge of workers back into the workforce. Only people who have recently looked for a job can count as unemployed. The employment data was the last major report card on the economy before Tuesday's presidential election, which pits Obama against Republican Mitt Romney. While the rise in the jobless rate was expected, the increase in payrolls beat even the most optimistic forecast in a Reuters poll.
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SUPERSTORM-MASS TRANSIT

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Riders on New York City's transit system should be prepared that Monday's commute won't be normal. That's the word from Gov. Andrew Cuomo. He said Sunday that service continues to be restored after Superstorm Sandy, but there's still work to be done. Cuomo also said riders should expect bigger crowds, including students returning to school after the storm and people trying to avoid driving cars because of the fuel shortage. Also Sunday, Cuomo suspended tolls on the two bridges to the Rockaways, the Queens neighborhood hit hard by the storm. The loss of train service there made it hard for residents to get back and forth.

GAS PRICES DIP NATIONWIDE TO START NOVEMBER

VO:18

The average U.S. price for a gallon of regular gasoline took its biggest drop since 2008 in the past two weeks, due to lower crude oil prices, a big price drop in pump prices in California and Hurricane Sandy, according to a widely followed survey released on Sunday. Gasoline prices averaged \$3.5454 per gallon on Nov. 2, down 20.75 cents from Oct. 19 when drivers were paying \$3.7529 at the pump, Lundberg said. The decline was the biggest two-week price drop since the survey recorded a 21.9 cents price decline Dec. 5, 2008 due to a crash in petroleum demand during the global recession.

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GAS PRICES	
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The national average for a gallon of regular gas on Tuesday is \$3.46 a gallon. That's an all-time high for Election Day, eclipsing last year's record of \$3.41 a gallon. It's also 35 cents less than a month ago. The most expensive state is Hawaii at \$4.27 a gallon, followed by Alaska at \$4.12 and New York at \$3.97. The least expensive is Missouri at \$3.11. South Carolina is close at \$3.14. Most of the key battleground states have gas prices below the national average. Colorado is the exception at \$3.52. The average in Florida is \$3.41. It's below \$3.40 a gallon in Ohio, Virginia and Wisconsin. Gas in each of those states is a few cents more expensive than this time last year, although it's also at least 20 cents cheaper than a month ago. For those thinking this election might resemble the deadlocked 2000 vote, the national average on Nov. 7, 2000, was \$1.56 a gallon. That was up 20 percent from the start of the year. By comparison, gas has risen 6 percent so far this year from \$3.28 on Jan. 1 (although it nearly hit \$4 in early April).

COLORADO MARIHUANA

JUNA CARLOS GONZALEZ. LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

PKG 2:00

The vote in Colorado is awaiting final certification, a process that is expected to take about a month. After this approval, it will immediately become legal in Colorado for adults over the age of 21 to possess up to an ounce of marijuana and for them to grow up to 6 plants in a secure indoor space. The state is required to adopt a legal framework for retail sales by July of 2013, the first marijuana retail outlets could potentially open as early as the start of 2014. Tuesday night, the states of Colorado and Washington sent a loud and

clear message to the federal government that they no longer wish to enforce the futile prohibition on cannabis. The symbolic impact of these victories are immediate, but what are the practical effects on the ground now that these two initiatives have been approved?
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NEW YORK GATIONS GASOLINE
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New York City began rationing gasoline on Friday for the first time since the energy shortages of the 1970s, seeking to ease a fuel crisis in the U.S. Northeast brought on by devastating Superstorm Sandy. The former hurricane that hammered the East Coast on Oct. 29 killed at least 120 people and caused ar estimated \$50 billion in damage or economic losses. The long lines at the pump have added to the frustration of commuters, who must choose between driving and enduring seemingly interminable waits for buses and trains with parts of the transportation network still damaged.
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IMMIGRATION TALKS IN CONGRESS
ADRIANA RODRIGUEZ. MIAMI, FLORIDA
PKG 2:00

Two U.S. senators launched a fresh move to put together a bipartisan immigration reform plan on Sunday, restarting talks on a proposal that includes a path to citizenship for illegal immigrants already in the country. Since President Barack Obama was re-elected last week with overwhelming support from Hispanic voters, many Republicans have expressed a new willingness to work with Democrats to pass immigration reform after years of legislative inaction. Appearing on NBC's ``Meet the Press," Democratic Senator Charles Schumer said he and Republican Senator Lindsey Graham have agreed to resume talks on immigration reform that broke off two years ago. Obama in 2010 called the proposal backed by Graham and Schumer a ``promising framework," but it made no headway. There are an estimated 12 million illegal immigrants in the United States, most of them Hispanics.

MARYLAND DREAM ACT

GALO ARELLANO. MIAMI, FLORIDA

PKG 2:00

Voters in Maryland today approved Question 4, a ballot measure that allows Maryland students regardless of immigration status to pay in-state tuition at Maryland universities if they've graduated from a Maryland high school and fulfilled other requirements. Election results from 60.7% of precincts reporting indicate that Question 4 passed by a wide margin of 57.5% to 42.5%. The Obama Administration announced that it will stop deporting and begin giving work permits to young adults who came to the U.S. as children (often referred to as "DREAMers"). Though this policy, known as "deferred action," provides a critical stopgap measure, it does not provide a permanent solution to the problem.

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IMMIGRATION REFORM AFTER ELECTIONS

LUIS MEGID / SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

PKG 2:02

Before Republicans tackle wholeheartedly any comprehensive immigration reform, many lawmakers will probably have to be convinced of one thing: Will it actually win them Hispanic votes? More than 70 percent of Hispanic voters chose President Obama last week, confirming his preelection prediction that Republicans couldn't win the presidency with xenophobic zeal that alienates Hispanics or with out-of-touch proposals such as Mitt Romney's suggestion that illegal immigrants opt for "self-deportation."

PEPSI FAT BLOCKING SODA

VO:25

Soft drink giant Pepsi has released a new soda it says will block fat, reduce bad cholesterol and lead to a healthier you. Problem is, the claims don't stack up. The new drink, dubbed Pepsi Special, is said to contain dextrin - essentially an indigestible form of dietary fiber. This, Pepsi's sole Japanese distributor Suntory claims means that the body will "block" fat. The gold and black labelled wonder soda apparently can even stop a rise in triglycerides that normally follows a meal, and could, they say, lower blood pressure.

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ILLINOIS LICENSE FOR IMMIGRANTS

VIVIANA AVILA / CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

PKG 2:14

Hispanic and white aldermen representing majority Latino wards along with their City Council allies on Thursday flexed the political muscle that helped seal President Barack Obama's re-election. Twenty-eight aldermen co-signed a resolution urging the Illinois General Assembly to extend driving privileges to 250,000 undocumented immigrants.

ARIZONA SEGREGATION STUDIES

DULCE MASCARENO / PHOENIX, ARIZONA

PKG 2:15

A federal judge ruled there were "vestiges" of segregation in the district and the desegregation order was given. The proposed Unitary Status Plan is the second in the last few years. TUSD Superintendent John Pedicone says the old plan did not look at outcomes or results. Pedicone says he likes the elements of the new plan that address those concerns.

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PROP 30

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Local schools are celebrating last week's passage of Proposition 30, which will prevent further cuts to their budgets this year. A second proposition that would have provided funding for education, Prop. 38, was not successful. The initiative passed with approximately 54 percent voter approval, according to information from the California Secretary of State. As a result, for the next four years, sales taxes will be increased by .25 percent and those who earn more than \$250,000 a year will pay higher taxes for the next seven years. Forty percent of the \$6.8-9 billion in revenues will go to K-14 schools to help backfill deferrals.

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CHICAGO PROTEST SALARY

CHICAGO. ILLINOIS. VIVIANA AVILA

PKG 2:00

The Chicago Teachers Union is broadening its fight against school closures to include high-profile businesses and their executives. On Veterans Day, the CTU targeted the Hyatt Hotel and Hyatt board member Penny Pritzker, who also serves on the Chicago Board of Education. The hotel chain was cofounded by Penny Pritzker's father. The Hyatt benefitted from millions of tax dollars set aside for economic development, known as Tax Increment Financing, for its new Hyde Park hotel. Protesters opposed to the potential closure of more than 100 neighborhood schools, mostly in South Side and West Side neighborhoods, marched from Cityfront Plaza into the lobby of the Hyatt Chicago Magnificent Mile, chanting

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